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ETHERNET UNITS AD Title:

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**OPERATING SAME** 

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### RESPONSE/AMENDMENT/LETTER

This is a response/amendment/letter in the above-identified application and includes an attachment which is hereby incorporated by reference and the signature below serves as the signature to the attachment in the absence of any other signature thereon.

# □ Correspondence Address Indication Form Attached.

## Fees are attached as calculated below:

| Total effective claims after amendment 3 previously paid for 20 (at least 20) = | minus highest number<br>0 x \$50.00                                                                                                                         | \$0.00 (1202)/\$0.00 (2202)                                                          | \$       | 0.00 |
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| Independent claims after amendment 3 previously paid for 3 (at least 3) =       | minus highest number<br>0 x \$200.00                                                                                                                        | \$0.00 (1201)/\$0.00 (2201)                                                          | \$       | 0.00 |
| If proper multiple dependent claims now added for                               | \$36                                                                                                                                                        | 0.00 (1051)/\$180.00 (2051)                                                          | \$       | 0.00 |
| Petition is hereby made to extend the current due paper and attachment(s)       | date so as to cover the filing d<br>One Month Extension \$120<br>Two Month Extensions \$450.<br>Three Month Extensions \$1020<br>Four Month Extensions \$15 | 0.00 (1251)/\$60.00 (2251)<br>00 (1252)/\$225.00 (2252)<br>.00 (1253/\$510.00 (2253) | \$       | 0.00 |
| Terminal disclaimer enclosed, add                                               |                                                                                                                                                             | 0.00 (1814)/ \$65.00 (2814)                                                          |          | 0.00 |
| ☐ Applicant claims "small entity" status. ☐ S                                   | Statement filed herewith                                                                                                                                    |                                                                                      |          |      |
| Rule 56 Information Disclosure Statement Filing                                 | <sup>=</sup> ee                                                                                                                                             | \$180.00 (1806)                                                                      | \$       | 0.00 |
| Assignment Recording Fee Other:                                                 |                                                                                                                                                             | \$40.00 (8021)                                                                       | \$<br>\$ | 0.00 |
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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency, or credit any overpayment, in the fee(s) filed, or asserted to be filed, or which should have been filed herewith (or with any paper hereafter filed in this application by this firm) to our Account No. 14-1140. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.

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### **AMENDMENT**

In response to the Office Action dated May 17, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as shown below:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6.